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Greetings from the David Traylor Zoo of Emporia!

Once again, the Zoo is hosting **Safari Edventure Day** on October 1st and 2nd. This event is a collaboration between accredited Zoos in Kansas including Rolling Hills Zoo in Salina, Sedgwick County Zoo in Wichita, and Sunset Zoo in Manhattan. ***Safari Edventure Day builds student appreciation for science and culture through hands-on activities presented by community organizations, businesses and leaders.***

Safari Edventure Day is geared for 1st through 4th grade students from 10am-2pm on either October 1st or 2nd. We ask that you choose the best day for your group and we will do all we can to schedule you for that day. The sooner we know your group is coming and the number of students and teachers, we will be able to confirm your spot. The students will need to bring a sack lunch and water bottle with them. We will have a few water stations available so students can refill their water bottles. We are excited to be planning this event and have some new presenters that will interest both students and teachers. **We need to have the students' t-shirt sizes turned in when the teacher registers for Safari Edventure Day.** We appreciate your speedy return of this information, we want each child to have a t-shirt to wear on the day of the event.

Please complete the form at the bottom via email at [zooeducation@emporia-kansas.gov](mailto:zooeducation@emporia-kansas.gov) to reserve your spot for this event. We are working to secure funding for the t-shirts. We will forward a list of our sponsors to each teacher in hopes that their class will express their appreciation through a thank you directed to each sponsor.

We are looking forward to hosting this event and hope you are anticipating a day spent at the zoo with community connections. **We have planned for rain this year, so we will not be forced to cancel.** Please contact me with any questions you may have at the email address listed above.

Colleen Mitchell, Education Coordinator  
David Traylor Zoo of Emporia

**Each teacher should fill out the following form for his/her classroom.**

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Oct. 1st \_\_\_\_ **or** Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_

Adult t-shirts: S \_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_ XL \_\_\_\_ XXL \_\_\_\_

Youth t-shirts: S \_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_ (larger sizes order as adult)